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Media Alert: Executive Council comes to Griffith

The NSW Farmers' Association Executive Council will be rolling into Griffith next week to discuss the big issues facing agriculture, including property rights, native vegetation regulations, beef imports and the decade long drought.

The Council, a seventy-strong body that represents Association Members, will be in Griffith for its first quarterly meeting for the year on Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 March 2010.

NSW Farmers' Association President Charles Armstrong's opening address in Griffith is expected to cover major issues the Association has addressed since he became President last year, and what will be facing agriculture in the future including CPRS.

In addition to debating and determining policy, Councilors will also undertake a tour of the amazingly diverse agricultural industry of Griffith and hear from a guest speaker from the Rice Growers Association.

Local Members are invited to attend the meeting, with a session in the agenda specifically for Members to raise important issues with the elected officials. Members will also hear an Industrial Relations Information Session. The Member Open Session is scheduled for 4:30pm on Tuesday 9 March and the Association is encouraging all local Members to attend.

Date: Tuesday 9 and Wednesday 10 March 2010

**Time: 8:30am – 4:30pm Tuesday, 8am – 3:30pm Wednesday
Members Open Session at 4:30pm – 6pm on Tuesday 9 March**

Location: Griffith Leagues Club, Jondaryan Avenue, Griffith

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